

Yin. (XXYIlt)

Deities and *ybfri* as before: the metre is *Odyatrl*,
except in the
fourth verse, where it is *Ptvra-uahnih*.

1. May the three-and-thirty divinities
sit down
upon the sacred grass; may'they accept
(our offer-
ings), and bestow upon us both (sorts of
wealth).¹

3. May VARTTBTA, MITBA, ARYAMA^, and
the
AGKNTS, with their wives, honouring the
donors (of
the oblation), and addressed with the
sacrificial
exclamation, —

3. Be our protectors, whether coming
with all
their attendants from the west, from the
north, from
the south, from the east.*

4. Whatever the gods desire, that
assuredly comes
to pass: no one can resist their (will),
no mortal
withholds (their) offerings.f

5. Seven are the lances of the seven
(troops of
the MAJRTJTS), seven are their ornaments,
they wear
seven surpassing glojies.

¹ *i.e.* cattle and money j, or, may they give
repeatedly. [S&yana
explains t?tVfan, " may they acknowledge
us as offerers."]

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* Sdyana artificially makes out six
directions by taking *nyak*
as the nadir, and understanding, by
itthd the south and the

zenith.

| Or, perhaps, as S&yana takes it, "even
the non-offering
mortal (must give offerings if they will
it)."